

**RUSHVILLE CITY COMMON COUNCIL  
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2008  
6:00 P.M.**

The Rushville City Common Council met on the above date and time at 270 W 15th Street, Rushville, Indiana. Mayor Bostic called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m., with Allen Shelton, Darrin McGowan, Mike Buckley, Bill Goins and Cindy Humphrey answering roll call. Also present were City Attorney, Ron Wilson, and Melissa Conrad, *Rushville Republican*.

**MINUTES \* \* \* \***

Minutes of the October 3, 2008 meeting were presented for approval. Shelton made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Goins seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**MAYOR'S REPORT \* \* \* \***

Mayor Bostic reported the following:

- State Road 44 West should be open by Monday. The East side should be open by Thanksgiving. In spring of 2009 they will be working on 44 East from Julian to the horse barn. It will be widened and the old bridge will be replaced.
- The Board of Works approved a lease for a learning center to be paid from funds for the Community Center grant.
- Presented information on a Code Red Program to the Board of Works. This program would notify residents by phone of severe weather and boil advisories.

**CLERK-TREASURER'S REPORT \* \* \* \***

Copley passed out a copy of an additional appropriation to be acted on at the next meeting.

Presented Transfer Resolution 2008-15 transferring monies in the Animal Shelter budget. Goins made a motion to approve Resolution 2008-15. Buckley seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT'S REPORT \* \* \* \***

Goins said he had spoken with Mike Pavey regarding the donation to the Heart of Rushville. Pavey explained that the Heart of Rushville was in operation and who the members were. Therefore, Goins made a motion to pay the \$750.00 that was appropriated in the 2007 budget to the Heart of Rushville. McGowan seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS \* \* \* \***

None.

**CITIZEN CONCERNS \* \* \* \***

Ron Tulliver, 314 West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street asked Council to consider making the alley behind his house one way going east from the feed mill. Shelton made a motion to approve the request. Goins seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS \* \* \* \***

**Ordinance 2008-8 Elected Officials Salary Ordinance** – Buckley made a motion to approve Ordinance 2008-8 on third and final reading. Shelton seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**NEW BUSINESS \* \* \* \***

**Resolution 2008-14** – Goins made a motion to approve Transfer Resolution 2008-14 transferring monies in the Police Department budget. Buckley seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**November Meeting Date** – The next meeting date falls on election day, therefore, it was the consensus of Council to meet on Monday, November 3.

**Claims** – Buckley made a motion to approve the claims as presented. Humphrey seconded the motion. Motion carried. Buckley abstained from voting on the claims regarding his salary.

**Tattoo Shop** – McGowan suggested instead of amending the zoning ordinance to make a special exception for the tattoo shop. It was the consensus of Council to agree to ask the APC to make a special exception for the tattoo and body modification shop for Stephanie Messer on Main Street.

There was no further business to come before Council, Goins made a motion to adjourn. Buckley seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

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DARRIN L. MCGOWAN, MEMBER

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MICHAEL BUCKLEY, MEMBER

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WILLIAM R. GOINS, MEMBER

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CINDRA K. HUMPHREY, MEMBER

ATTEST:

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ANN L. COPLEY, CLERK-TREASURER